

## Natural Bridge State Park

Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation

### JULY—AUGUST PROGRAMS

All programs are **free**, open to the public, and **meet at the Visitor Center** unless otherwise noted. Parking fees do not apply. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit [Mass.gov/COVID](https://www.mass.gov/covid) for more guidance. Park gates close at 4:30 pm. For more information call the park at **(413) 663-6392**.

#### OPEN DAILY

#### VISITOR CENTER, 9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

The Natural Bridge State Park Visitor Center features exhibits and park information, restrooms and drinking water. Open daily, late-May through mid-October.

#### MONDAYS

#### BUILDING THE BRIDGE

10:00—10:30 a.m. and 2:00—2:30 p.m.

What were the natural forces that formed these unique land-forms? Discover the human elements that altered them through photos and little-known details about how Natural Bridge came to look as it does today.

#### FRIDAYS

#### TREMENDOUS TREE WALK

10:00—10:30 a.m. and 2:00—2:30 p.m.

Enjoy an easy interpreter-guided walk along the 0.6-mile-long Elder Nature Trail. Encounter northern hardwood and eastern evergreen trees in a landscape shaped by glacial forces and human agriculture. Suitable for all ages. Wear sturdy footwear. Bring a water bottle.

#### SATURDAYS

#### NATURAL BRIDGE HISTORY TOUR

10:00—10:30 a.m. and 2:00—2:30 p.m.

Easy walking tour for all ages. Discover the mysteries of Natural Bridge. Interpreter-guided discovery with short stories that enliven and highlight this unique park! Wear sturdy shoes. Bring water.

#### DISCOVERY TABLE, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

Visit the discovery table **in the Visitor Center** to get a closer, fun, informative glimpse into native plants, area wildlife, local geology, and history. Topics rotate weekly.

#### SUNDAYS

#### NATURAL BRIDGE HISTORY TOUR

10:00—10:30 a.m. and 2:00—2:30 p.m.

Easy walking tour for all ages. Discover the mystery of Natural Bridge State Park. Guided discovery with short stories that makes this park so unique! Wear sturdy shoes. Bring water.

#### LIFE IN THE QUARRY, 12:00—12:30 p.m.

Join the park interpreter for an easy walking tour to discover what it was like to work in a quarry in the 1800s and early 1900s. Dress for the weather. Wear sturdy shoes. Bring water.



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